

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Werner BACK *et al.*

Title: PROTEIN-CONTAINING PREPARATION WHICH CAN BE
BIOTECHNOLOGICALLY PRODUCED, METHOD FOR
THE PRODUCTION THEREOF, AND USE OF THE SAME
AS A FOOD INGREDIENT

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the non-final Office Action dated March 27, 2009, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Applicant hereby provisionally elects Group I, Claims 1-9, and 16-20, for examination, with traverse.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

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